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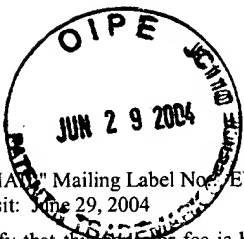
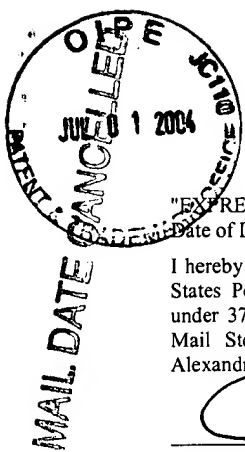
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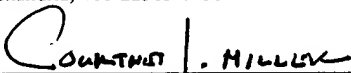
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**RESPONSE**

This paper is responsive to the Office Action mailed April 1, 2004, setting an initial due date of July 1, 2004. A three-month statutory period was set for responding to this Office Action; therefore, this Response, filed on June 29, 2004, is timely filed and no fee is believed to be due. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any insufficiency to **Deposit Account No. 03-0172** (Calfee, Halter & Griswold LLP), if necessary.

Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the claims** begin on page: 2;

**Remarks** begin on page 4.